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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Security

FROM:

Chief, Community Security Group

SUBJECT: Publication by NFIB of our Documents on  
E.O. 12065

1. For your information, attached are copies of two documents we prepared on E.O. 12065 and which Chairman, NFIB signed and released.

a. The first, NFIB-9 1/35, 21 December 1978 is essentially an exhortation by the DCI to attend to requirements of E.O. 12065 and a statement that he "intends to personally review classification patterns exercised within the Community."

b. The second, NFIB-9 1/36, 21 December 1978 offers the Community guidance on implementation of E.O. 12065. It directs that all SCI be classified for 20 years and offers a quotable reason for the extension of classification longer than 6 years. It also directs that a copy of all guides prepared by departments be provided to the Chairman, SECOM for review in support of the DCI's responsibilities and identifies the SECOM as addressee of questions.

2. We have received only one call (from DOE) which was primarily an expression of appreciation for the guidance. We are prepared to answer other questions. I will also make sure that expeditious review is made of classification guides submitted by departments, agencies and program managers.

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STAT 3. As of this date we have some indications of conflict i.e., NSA says all SI is Foreign Government material and thus can be classified and marked for review after 30 years, [redacted] has exempted BYE material from the requirement for classifying paragraph by paragraph and the TK community has been instructed to comply pretty closely with all aspects of the E.O. We are working on standardization at least to the extent that SCI multiple source documents are not inadvertently subject to release under FOIA court cases because of some administrative error.

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